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To Entertain Card Club.  
Mrs. Benjamin F. Thompson will entertain the members of the Five Table Card Club from 3 to 5 o'clock Friday afternoon.

### PERSONAL

Mrs. Charles M. Ernest, who visited her parents at Oxford, O., four weeks,

## LANDSLIDE

On Monongahela River Division Ties Up Traffic on That Division.

A landslide on the Monongahela River division of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company near the Clarksburg Zinc works tied up traffic on that line for eight hours Friday morning and trains No. 62 from Connellsville to this city and No. 52 from Fairmont to this city, were several hours late arriving at the local station.

The slide occurred at 12:30 o'clock Friday morning and it was not all cleared away until 11:30 o'clock Friday morning. The passengers on the trains, however, were not delayed by the slide, as a special train was made up at the local yard and sent to the point where the slide blocked the track and passengers were transferred around the slide and brought to the station.

### BOY UNDERGOES OPERATION.

Mrs. Julia Will and six-year old son, John, returned to Grafton on Thursday night, following a successful surgical operation on the boy at a local hospital for removal of his tonsils. They were accompanied to Clarksburg and return by Mrs. R. E. Furey, of Grafton, and while here they were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Nicewarner at Point Comfort.

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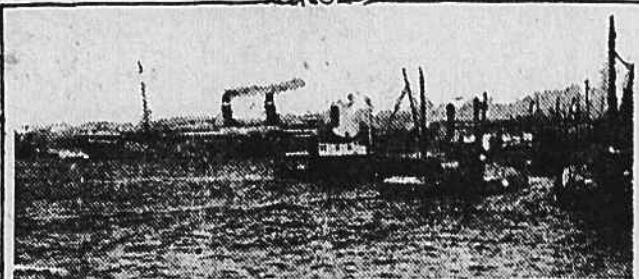
## Cottage Home

On Buchanan Pike, at Stop 9, one of the most attractive 5-room cottages with cabinet mantles, cellar and fine big lot, 40x150, facing on two streets. Thousands of people have admired this property and it has never been for sale until today.

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## UNCLE SAM'S WAR MUNITIONS TRADE HAS REACHED CREST. SAY COMMERCE EXPERTS



Kegs of horseshoes ready for shipment to allies (top); activity along New York's water front; barreled beef in New York ready for shipment.

That the United States is now on the crest of the big business of supplying munitions of war to the allies, is the belief of experts in the U. S. Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce at Washington. This trade exceeded \$200,000,000 in 1915; but the allied powers do not intend to spend that much here this year, as their own munitions factories are growing.

## TO DEBATE ON THE SUFFRAGE MATTER

Miss Ramsay and Dr. Rinehart to Argue before Shinnston Audience Tonight.

SHINNSTON, Feb. 25.—A debate on the equal suffrage question is promised for the people of Shinnston this evening at the Methodist Episcopal church with Miss Eudora Ramsay, of South Carolina, on the affirmative and Dr. J. H. Rinehart on the negative. The meeting is scheduled to take place at 8 o'clock and will no doubt be well attended as this will be the first debate on the question to take place here.

Miss Ramsay is field secretary and organizer for West Virginia for the National Equal Suffrage Association. She is a very accomplished and cultured young woman, being a daughter of Dr. David M. Ramsay, president of the Baptist Women's College at Greenville, S. C., and a graduate of Columbia University.

Let those for and against equal franchise avail themselves of the opportunity to hear both sides of the question discussed from an educational standpoint.

The average adult inhales about one gallon of air a minute.

## A Proposed New York Law

Says in part:

"No food or drink, save coffee, tea and cocoa, containing any habit forming drug, except alcohol, shall be sold within the State."

—From New York Journal of Commerce, Jan. 17, 1916.

This bill, recently introduced in the New York Legislature, amply attests the well-known fact that coffee, tea and cocoa contain the habit-forming drug, caffeine.

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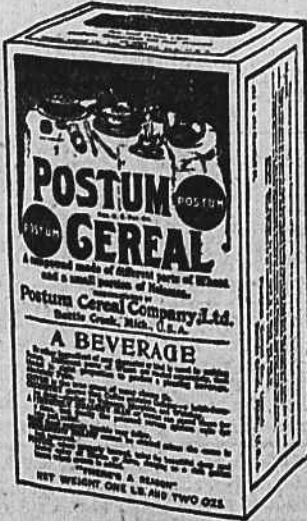
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## OIL AND GAS DEVELOPMENT OF TRI-STATE

Latest Reports of Operations in West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Ohio.

The deep sand territory in southeastern Ohio has drilled in a couple of producing wells. In the Union Furnace district, in section 16, Starr township, Hocking county, the Preston Oil Company's test on the J. N. Gordon farm is in the Clinton sand and showing for a good producer. It has not been drilled through the sand, but is in deep enough to indicate a good well. The same company is drilling two tests on the Oliver P. Duffy farm, but it will be several weeks before either will be due to get the sand. In the same district the Ohio Fuel Oil Company is down 600 feet at a test on the Eliza Stiers farm.

In the northern end of the field near Black Hand, Hopewell township, Licking county, the Planet Oil Company has a show for a fine producer at its test on the E. H. Kreager farm. The well was drilled through the Clinton sand and shot and flowed seventy-five barrels the first five hours. This location is 900 feet southeast of the Columbus Oil and Fuel Company's test on the J. D. Gard farm.

Four miles north of Cannelville, Brush creek township, Muskingum county, Hite and Caffery drilled their test on the Lewis French farm through the Berea grit and found it barren. In the old Junction City field, Pike township, Perry county, there is some new work starting. Ralph Brothers are drilling a test on the J. E. Saffell farm. The Carter Oil Company is building the rig for No. 4 John F. Klingler and have made the location for a test on the James McDonagie farm. The National Oil Company is building the rig for No. 3 on the N. H. Palmer farm.

**Shallow Sand Territory.**  
In the Woodsfield district, Wayne township, Monroe county, Middleton and Company have drilled their test on the Daniel Langdon farm through the big lime and it is a light producer. The location is 1,000 feet south of the Carter Oil Company's test on the Alexander Cronin farm. Two miles west of the Ohio river, in Wells township, Jefferson county, Mager and Engle have completed a test on the Oliver heirs' farm, located on Salt run. It is a duster in the Berea grit and the upper sands.

In Morgan county, near Stockport, the Federal Oil Company drilled a second test on the B. Hopkins farm through the Cow run sand and has a duster. In the same district Metcalf and Riddle completed No. 18 on the S. H. Schofield farm and it is a very light producer. In Washington county Bogard and Johnson scored a duster at their No. 7 on the William Gross, Jr., farm and Minch and Company's No. 7 on the Peter Pfaff farm is good for five barrels a day in the first Cow run sand. In Summit township, Belmont county, the Oak Hill Oil Company has the rig completed for a second test on the Isaac Oech farm through the Berea grit and developed nothing but a light gas pressure. In the same district W. A. Baker is drilling a test on his own farm. In Fairfield township the Victoria Oil Company completed Nos. 5 and 6 on the J. H. Henry farm and the same company's No. 3 on the Samples heirs' farm is a duster and No. 2 is due in the sand.

**West Virginia.**  
In Central district, Doddridge county, West Virginia, the Philadelphia Company drilled through the Big Injun sand and developed a gasser with a capacity of 2,000,000 cubic feet a day. On Fitchwood run, Grant district, Wetzel county, the Richmond Oil Company's good producer on the John Mills farm is calling out some new work. The same company has made locations for Nos. 2 and 3, and the Kanawha Oil Company has made two locations on the John Mills tract and the Hope Natural Gas Company has the rig completed for a second test on the T. H. Gallagher farm.

**Southwest Pennsylvania.**  
In the Dorseyville field, Allegheny county, the National Oil and Gas Company's No. 8 on the W. J. Robinson farm averaged thirty-one barrels an hour for the first fourteen hours after it was drilled into the pay. The company is moving back the boiler and will drill deeper. The well flows with greater force than any other completed in that locality. The same company is building the rig for No. 4 on the A. Haas farm.

**The Oil Market.**  
The prices paid for oil of various grades by the purchasing agencies are:  
Pennsylvania ..... \$2.40  
Marcell black ..... 1.90  
New Castle ..... 1.90  
Corning ..... 1.90  
Cabell ..... 1.95  
North Lima ..... 1.68  
South Lima ..... 1.68  
Wooster ..... 1.85  
Indiana ..... 1.13  
Princeton ..... 1.72  
Somerset ..... 1.74  
Ragland ..... .80  
Illinois ..... 1.72  
Kansas and Oklahoma ..... 1.30  
Plymouth ..... 1.43  
Heraldton ..... .75  
Corsicana light ..... 1.30  
Corsicana heavy ..... 1.30  
Electra ..... 1.30  
Henrietta ..... 1.30  
Strawn ..... 1.30  
Thrall ..... 1.30  
Moran ..... 1.30  
De Soto ..... 1.20  
Orionton ..... .95  
Caddo, 33 degrees ..... 1.30  
Caddo, 35 degrees ..... 1.20  
Caddo, 32 degrees ..... 1.15  
Caddo, crude ..... .90  
Canada ..... 1.98



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## BRYAN

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Regarding the rights of Americans on the seas and precedents. At the conclusion of the conference it was very clear to all that the president stands on his letter to Senator Stone.

"But there are rumors which were discussed that Germany may postpone enforcement of the new admiralty order to sink all armed ships from March 1, either to April 1 or the middle of March. I think the chances are that Germany will postpone this threatened performance. This will give more time for consideration of this matter."

"We told the president that in the event of such a postponement all action in Congress certainly would be postponed. Meantime these resolutions would remain statu quo."

Regarding the possibility of action in Congress in case Germany adheres to its announcement that the admiralty order will be made effective March 1, Speaker Clark said it would be very difficult to get the warning resolution out of a committee for action and that there was no way for the issue to get before the House Friday.

Speaker Clark, Mr. Kitchin and Mr. Flood all expressed the hope that the United States would not go to war over the armed ship issue. They left the White House saying they believed the situation serious.

Administration officials said that the president's warning in his letter to Senator Stone that the United States must defend international law from infractions by any nation or group of nations was directed toward European belligerents.

In the Senate, Mr. Lodge, the ranking Republican of the foreign relations committee, openly declared his support of the president's position.

Senator Gore, Democrat, introduced his resolution warning Americans, and Senator Jones, Republican, introduced a resolution to require a break in diplomatic relations to be referred to Congress. There was no discussion.

The cabinet discussed the situation thoroughly and administration officials said the members were standing solidly behind the president.

Secretary Lansing said he had no new information from Berlin and while reports were discussed that Germany might postpone the operation of the new submarine campaign no basis for them was disclosed.

### LANDSLIDE DELAYS CARS.

The Monongahela Valley Traction Company's Interurban car line running between this city and Fairmont was tied up for an hour Friday morning on account of a landslide near the Fairmont Country Club grounds about two miles this side of Fairmont. A huge rock slid down on the track shortly after 5 o'clock and it was not cleared away until after 6 o'clock. All other lines of the company are operating without any trouble.

### HELD TO GRAND JURY.

William Toquinto, alias Bill Pupaph, was held for the grand jury and released under the usual bonds of \$1,000 late Thursday by Magistrate C. W. Watkins in Magistrate W. E. Starcher's court for violating the prohibition law recently by carrying a thirty gallon barrel of wine through Williams street, Northview.

**STEAMERS SEIZED.**  
ST. VINCENT, Cape Verde Island, Feb. 25.—Eight German steamships lying in the harbor here were taken in charge yesterday by officials of the Portuguese government.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The Senate Friday confirmed the nomination of Henry Prather Fletcher as ambassador to the government of Mexico. The vote was 49 to 14.

## "LOVE LETTERS" IS TITLE OF HER BOOK



Elsie Janis.

Elsie Janis, the Elsie who everybody thought was so well guarded by her mamma that never an actress-adoring Johnnie could reach her even with a note—that same Elsie has written a book and, guess what it's about! "Love Letters of an Actress" is the title.

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